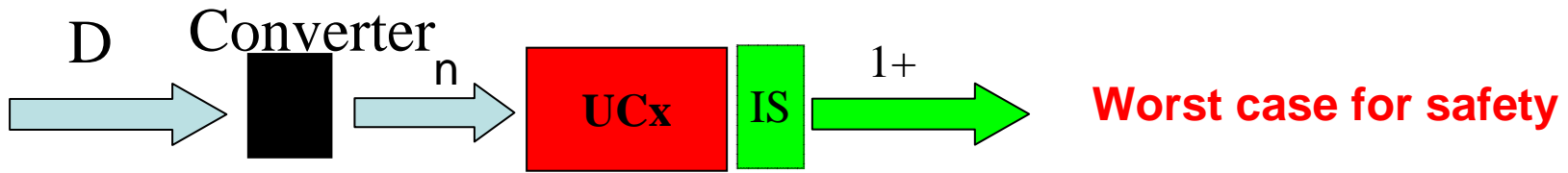
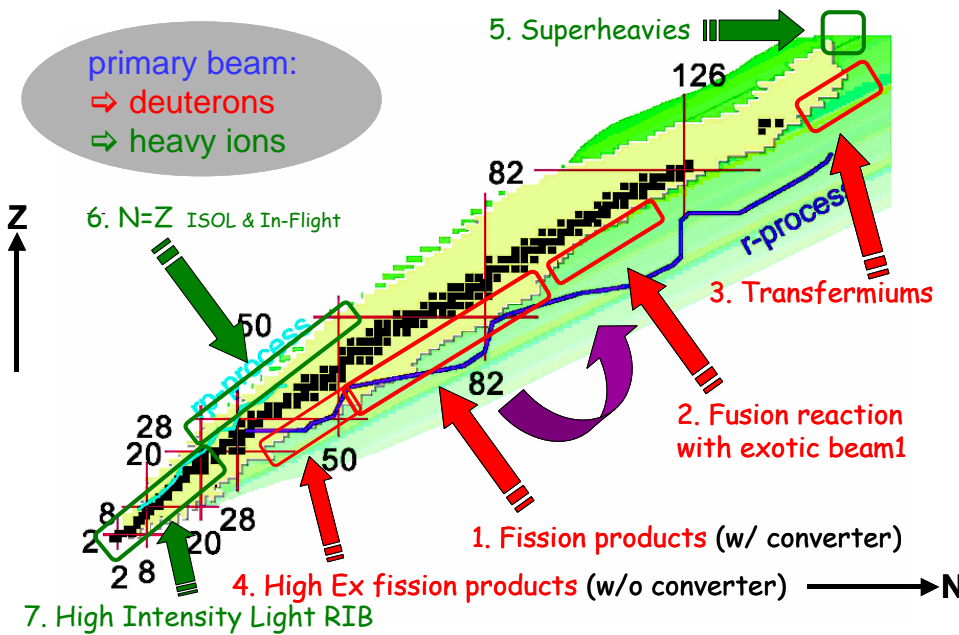


Building design for high beam-power facilities The example of SPIRAL 2

Jean-Michel Lagniel & Lorenzo Rousard

- 1- Constraints on high beam-power facilities (RIB production)**
- 2- Organization for the building construction**
- 3- SPIRAL 2 building construction**



High beam-power driver p, d, HI up to 200 kW SPIRAL 2

Beam losses / beam dump / beam on target → high-energy neutrons + activation

High-intensity radioactive ion beams 10¹⁴ fissions / s SPIRAL 2

Big volumes of highly-activated gas → contamination

Constraints on the buildings... as usual

Budget - Planning - Manpower

Additional constraints

More radiations + More activation + Contamination



More shielding

More radiation safety systems

More access controls

More interlocks (Important Elements for Security)

Nuclear ventilations

Equipment remote control (Up to “red” zone)

Infrastructures for waste management

(qualification and preparation system, containers, transport to long term storage)

Activated gas and liquid storages **Seismic resistance**

Stainless steel liner on the walls for easy decontamination...

AND... You have to convince the Safety Authorities...

No architect, no nuclear building engineers in most of the Labs



Building Prime Contractor for the buildings design and construction follow up

As building owner, we have to define our needs in such a way that the BPC

-1- understand (translate accelerator / physicist vocabulary...)

-2- get all the input data at day one to design the building and infrastructures
and make a precise cost estimate (20 % → 10%)



Surfaces (m²) Building organization (connections...)

Constraints induced by the process

Cooling system performances Electrical power distribution

Handling capacities Ground loads (kg/m²)

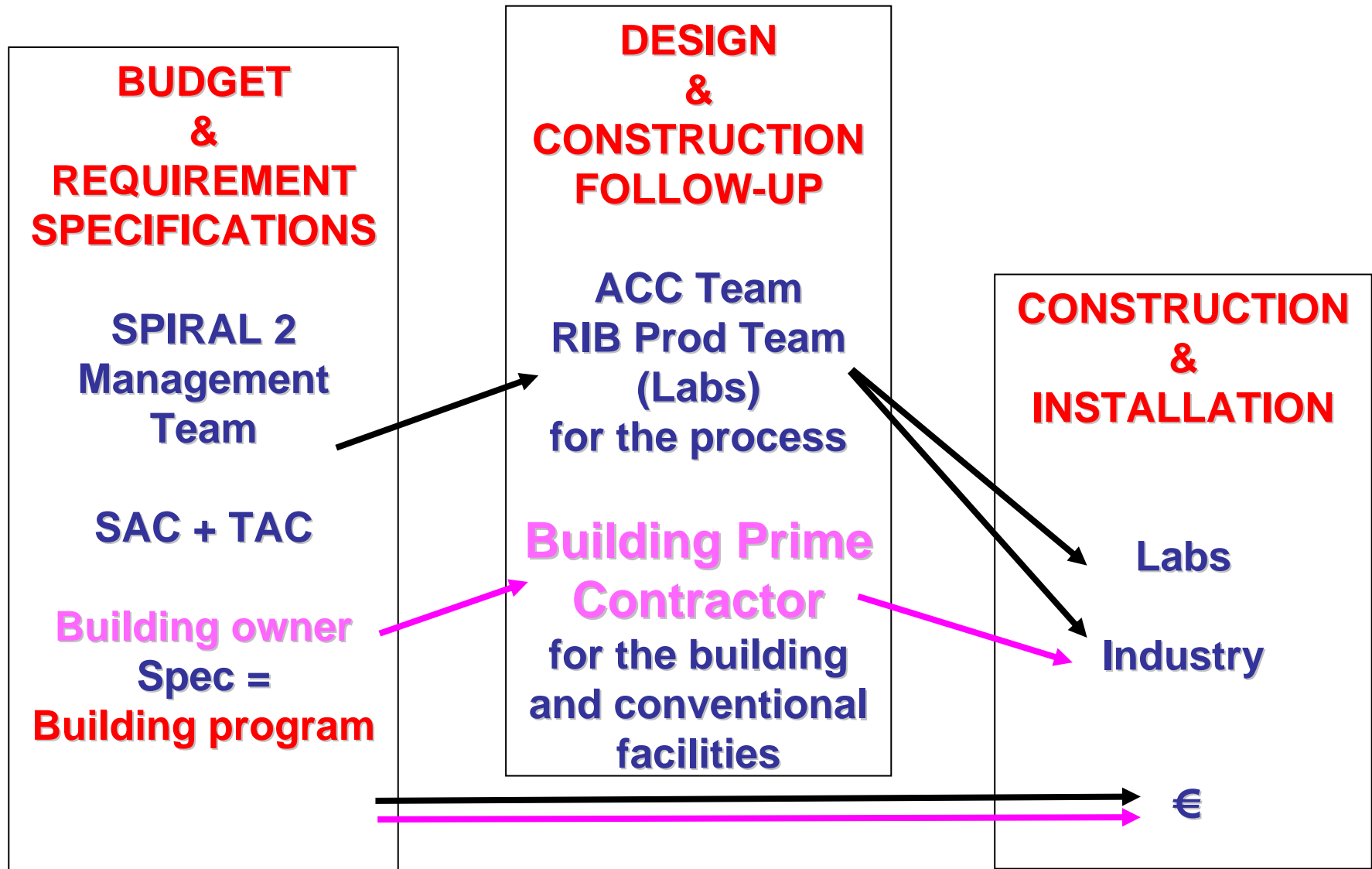
Source terms for radioprotection, gas storages...

**You must know what you want when you sign the BPC contract !
and write the “Building Program”
(contractual specification)**

Any modification or additional request will cost you a lot !

**Then
you have to organize the cohabitation between the BPC and the “users”
(accelerator people & nuclear physicists)**

**in such a way that they cannot ask always more !
(cost escalation during the detailed design study)**



Missions and competencies of the Building Prime Contractor

Taking into account that SPIRAL 2 will be a Nuclear Installation (reactor rules)

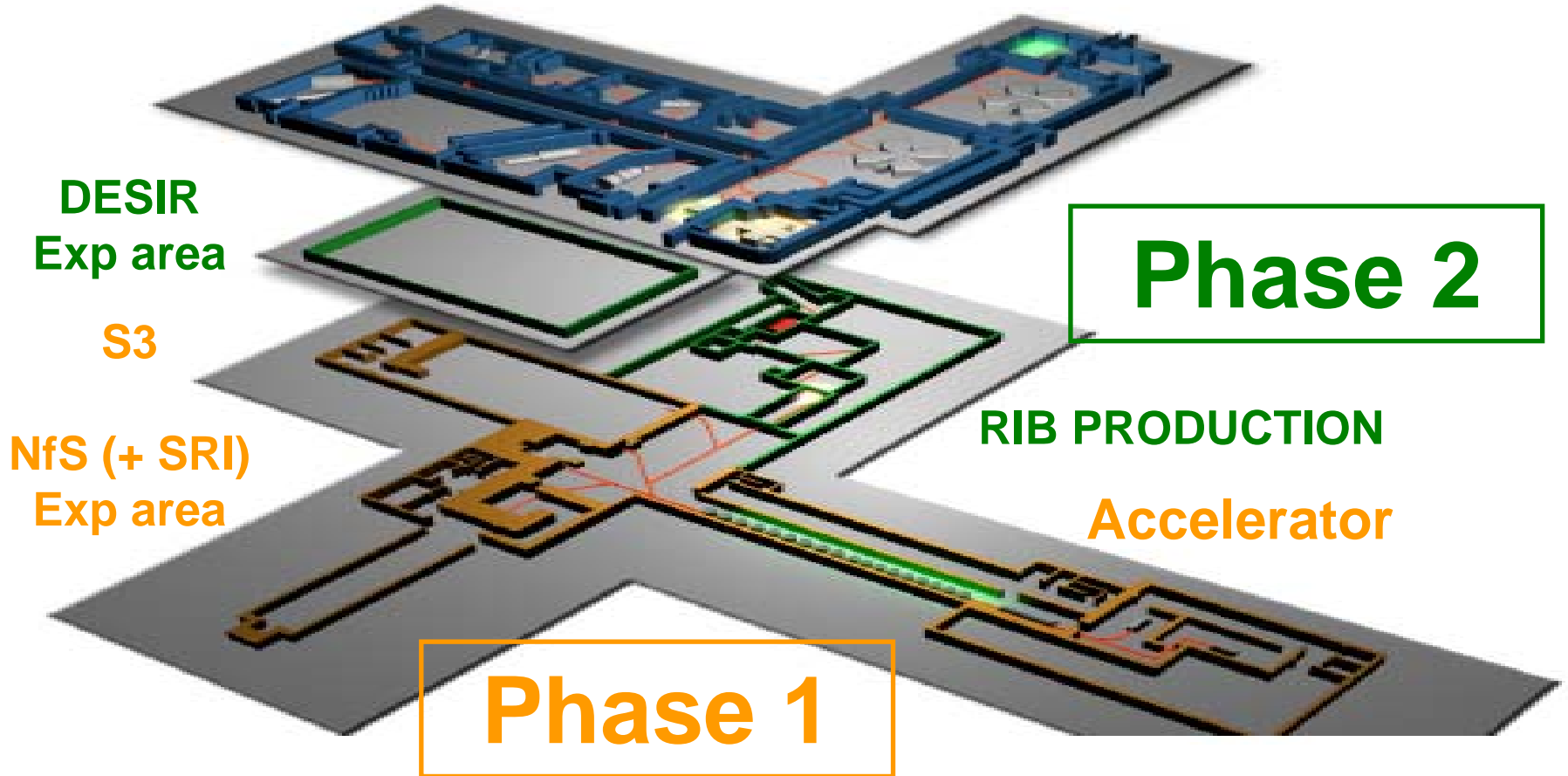
- ☞ Industrial building structures engineering
(including the nuclear aspects – seismic aspects)
 - ☞ Architecture (Industrial building)
 - ☞ Heating – Ventilation – Air conditioning
- ☞ Electrical power distribution (20 kV – 380-220 V - ~10 MW)
 - ☞ Low power networks
 - ☞ Water cooling system
 - ☞ Security (including the fire network)
 - ☞ Nuclear safety (waste...)

Design – Cost optimization – Contract preparation

Construction follow up – Reception

Assistance to the building owner

Existing GANIL facility



+ Annexes = Conventional facilities for Ph 1 & 2

Building Programming (Building owner specs) Used surface table TOTAL 4457 m² Used surface

BATIMENT	code secteur	SECTEUR FONCTIONNEL	surfaces utiles
ACCELERATEUR	ACC-1	Sources + LBE	273 m ²
	ACC-2	Section RFQ + LME+ Linac	330 m ²
	ACC-3	Lignes haute énergie (LHE)	278 m ²
	ACC-4	Usine cryogénique	350 m ²
	ACC-5	Test – préparation- maintenance	327 m ²
	ACC-6	Locaux de logistique	105 m ²
	ACC-7	Locaux de servitudes	624 m ²
SURFACE SOUS-TOTAL ACCELERATEUR			2287 m²
AEL	AEL-1	Zone NFS	200 m ²
	AEL-2	Zone SRI	150 m ²
	AEL-3	Servitude NFS-SRI	110m ²
	AEL-4	Zone S3	550 m ²
	AEL-5	Zone nucléarisé	60 m ²
	AEL-6	Servitude S3	200 m ²
SURFACE SOUS-TOTAL AEL			1270 m²
ANNEXE	ANN-1	Zone de pilotage déporté	125 m ²
	ANN-2	Laboratoires et ateliers communs	130 m ²
	ANN-3	Système de réfrigération et air comprimé	360 m ²
	ANN-4	Distribution électrique	255 m ²
	ANN-5	Servitudes du bâtiment annexes	30 m ²
SURFACE SOUS-TOTAL ANNEXE			900 m²
TOTAL TRANCHE 1			4457 m²

Each building
ACC – AEL - ANN
described in terms
of functional sectors

Each room of the
local sectors has
been defined
in terms of used
surface and
requirements

Conventional facilities (ANNEXE Bld PHASE 1) designed for PHASE 1 & PHASE 2

Selection of the PH-1 Building Prime Contractor

Nov 16, 2007 : Publication of the “call for candidates”

Feb 5, 2008 : First meeting of the selection committee

Start of the competition between 2 candidates

June 2, 2008 : Reception of the 2 propositions
(building outlines + cost estimates)

June 27, 2008 : Second meeting of the selection committee

2 projects at the same level

→ **Start of a competitive dialog with the 2 candidates**

Sept 2-3, 2008 : Reception of the 2 projects

Sept 9, 2008 : The SPIRAL 2 Steering Committee select
INGEROP (Engineering) + ATR (nuclear eng – safety) + Nuret (Architect)

Phase 1 ground level buildings from the selected Prime Contractor



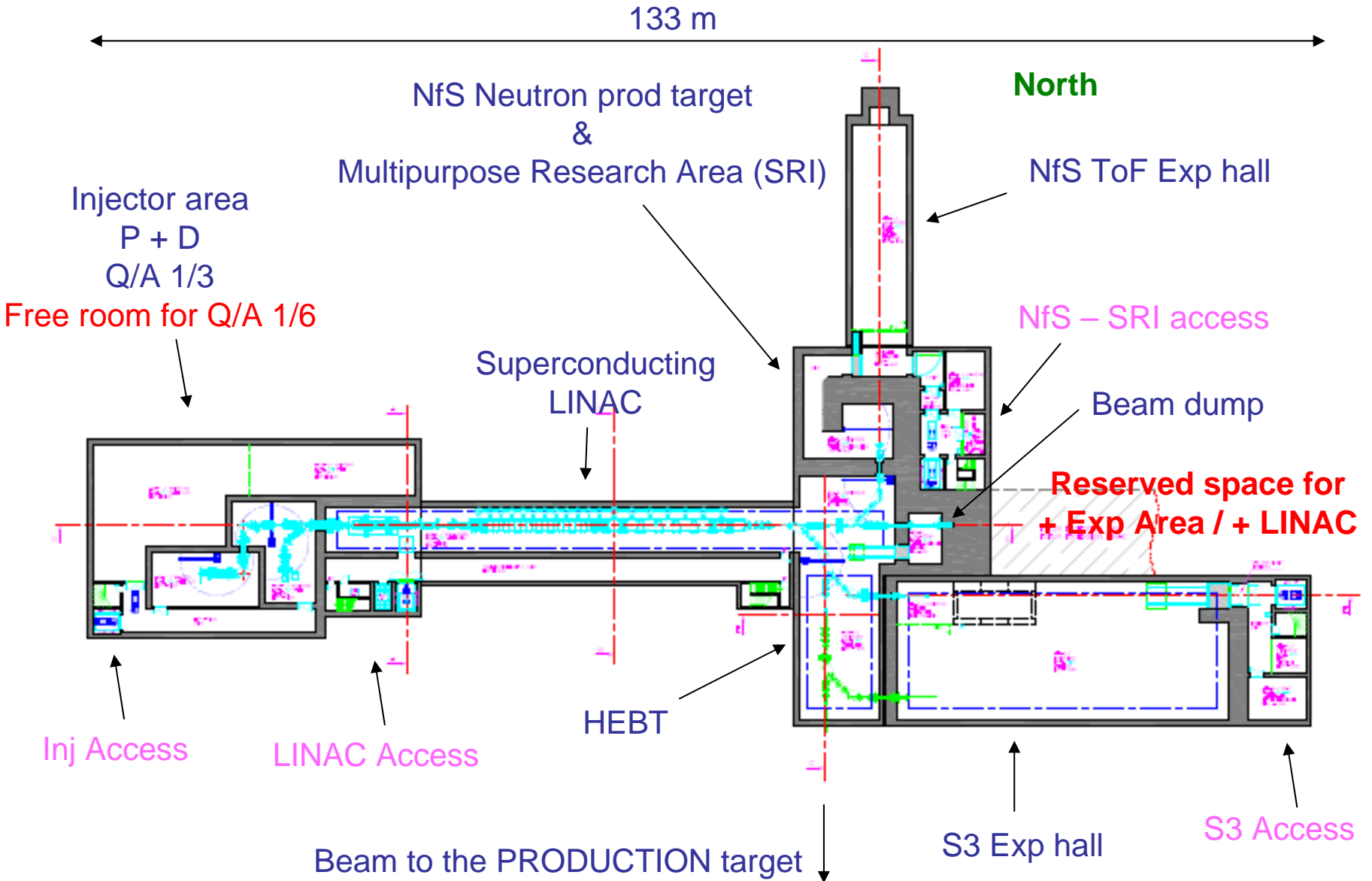
Building optimization : 5 good reasons to choose an underground installation of the process

(accelerator, beam transfer lines, LINAC experimental areas, RIB production process)

- ☞ The Epron city construction rules forbid buildings higher than 11 m
- ☞ The GANIL site underground is made up of good solid calcareous stone
- ☞ Less concrete to prevent ground activation than visitor irradiation
 - ☞ Better resistance to seism
 - ☞ Better resistance to external aggressions
(Impact of the surrounding buildings, gas-truck explosion...)



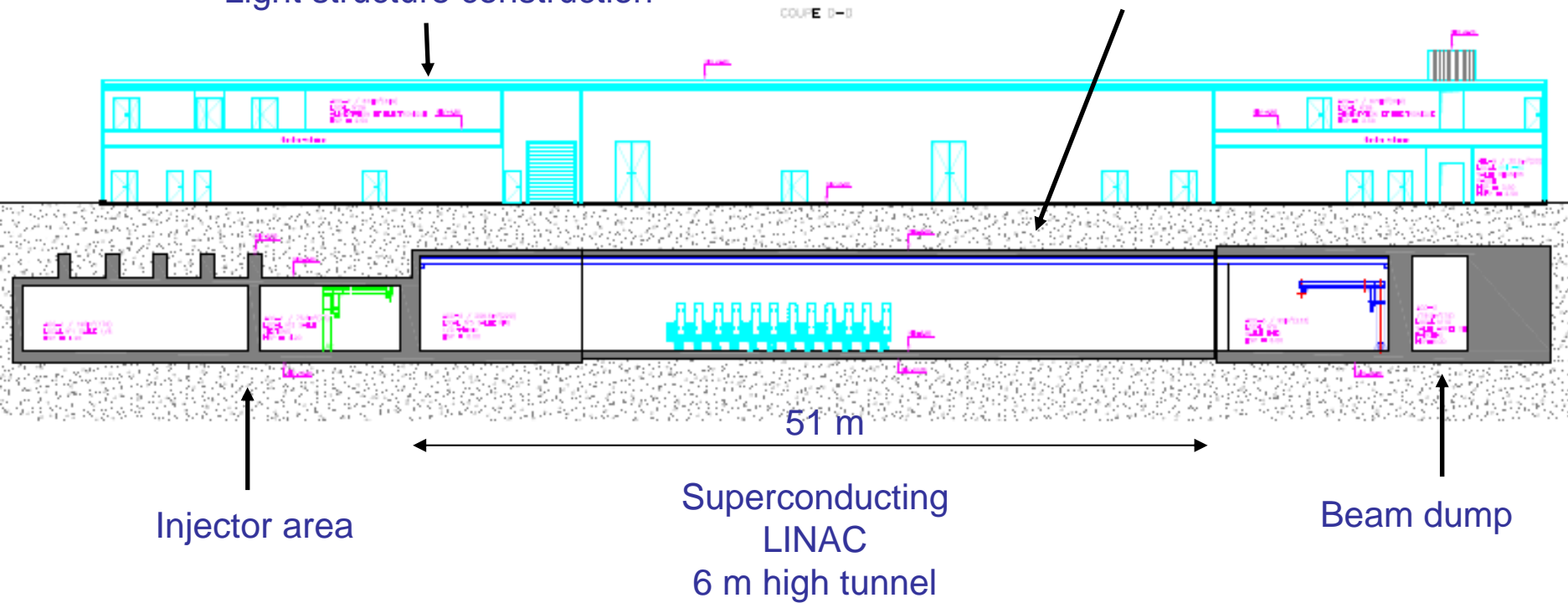
Cost saving of the order of 3 - 4 € for the Phase 1 buildings
15 – 20 % of the building structure (shell) cost

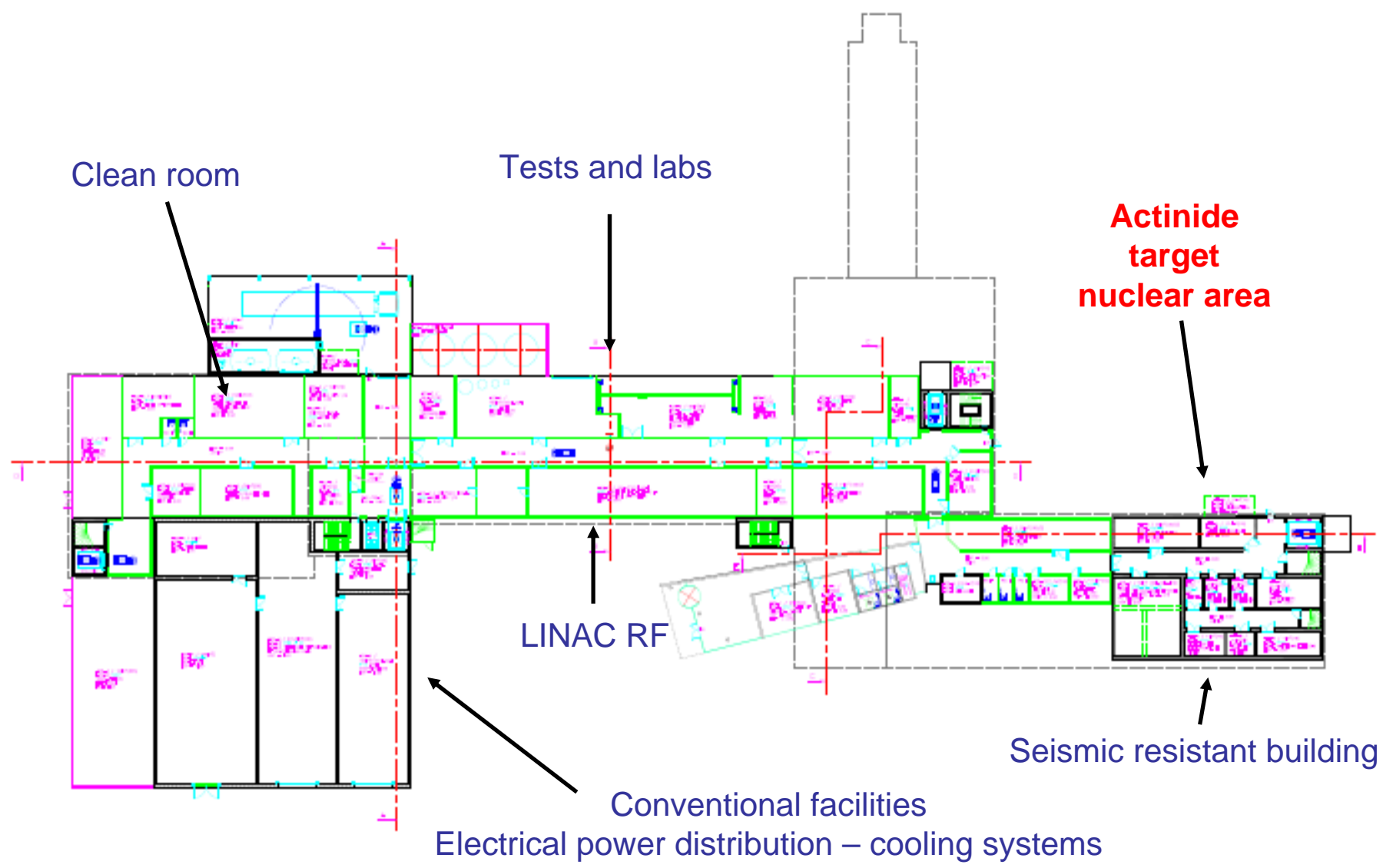


Cut along the Accelerator tunnel

Surface building with the RF systems,
power supplies, test areas...
Light structure construction

Filling up layer
(most probably using the calcareous
stone extracted during the excavation)





End of June 2009 : Building planning permission registration

**End of 2009 : First work for the builder's yard installation
First ground breaking (?)**

March 2010 : Beginning of the building construction

Mid 2011 : Beginning of the process installation

February 29, 2012 : First Beam

Ground breaking ceremony date not yet known !

Selection of the Building Prime Contractor

Nov 18, 2008 : Publication of the call for candidates

PRODUCTION : Used surface = 3000 m² Estimated cost = 23 M€

DESIR : Used surface = 2300 m² Estimated cost = 5.6 M€

March 12, 2009 : First meeting of the selection committee

Competition between 4 candidates

September 4, 2009 : Reception of the 4 propositions
(building outlines + cost estimates)

October 2, 2009 : Second meeting of the selection committee

Nov 2009 : Signature of the PH2 BPC contract

**The Phase 2 building prime contractor
will have to work**

**taking into account the detailed design of the
process and its close environment done under
the supervision of the SPIRAL 2 Team**

**(RIB) PRODUCTION bloc
Target & Source area
+ the nuclear environment**

**Beam Line bloc
Primary and RI beam lines**

RIB PRODUCTION Bloc (Hot cells)

Beam Transport Bloc

HRS + RFQ Cooler

Waste hot cell

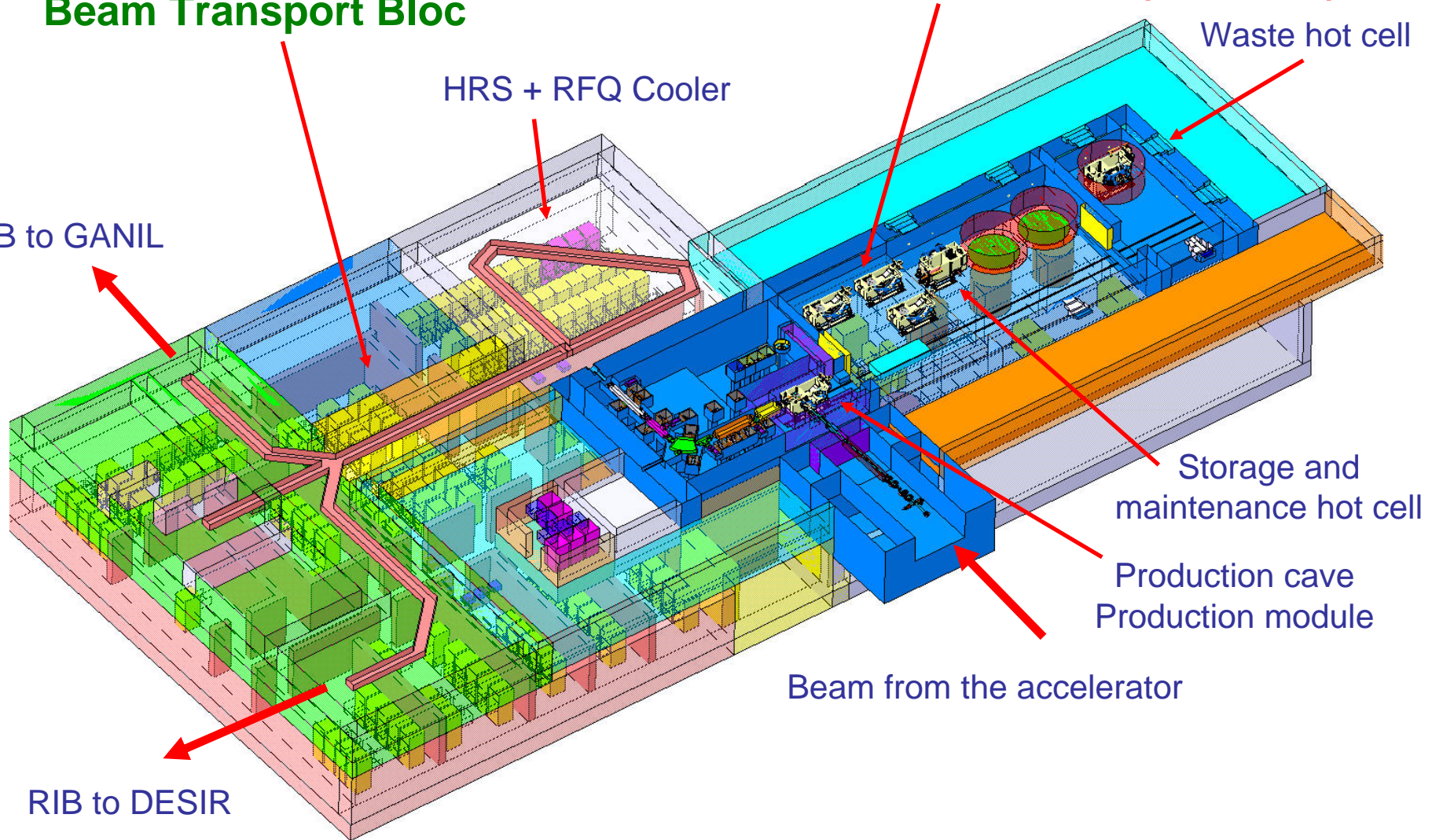
RIB to GANIL

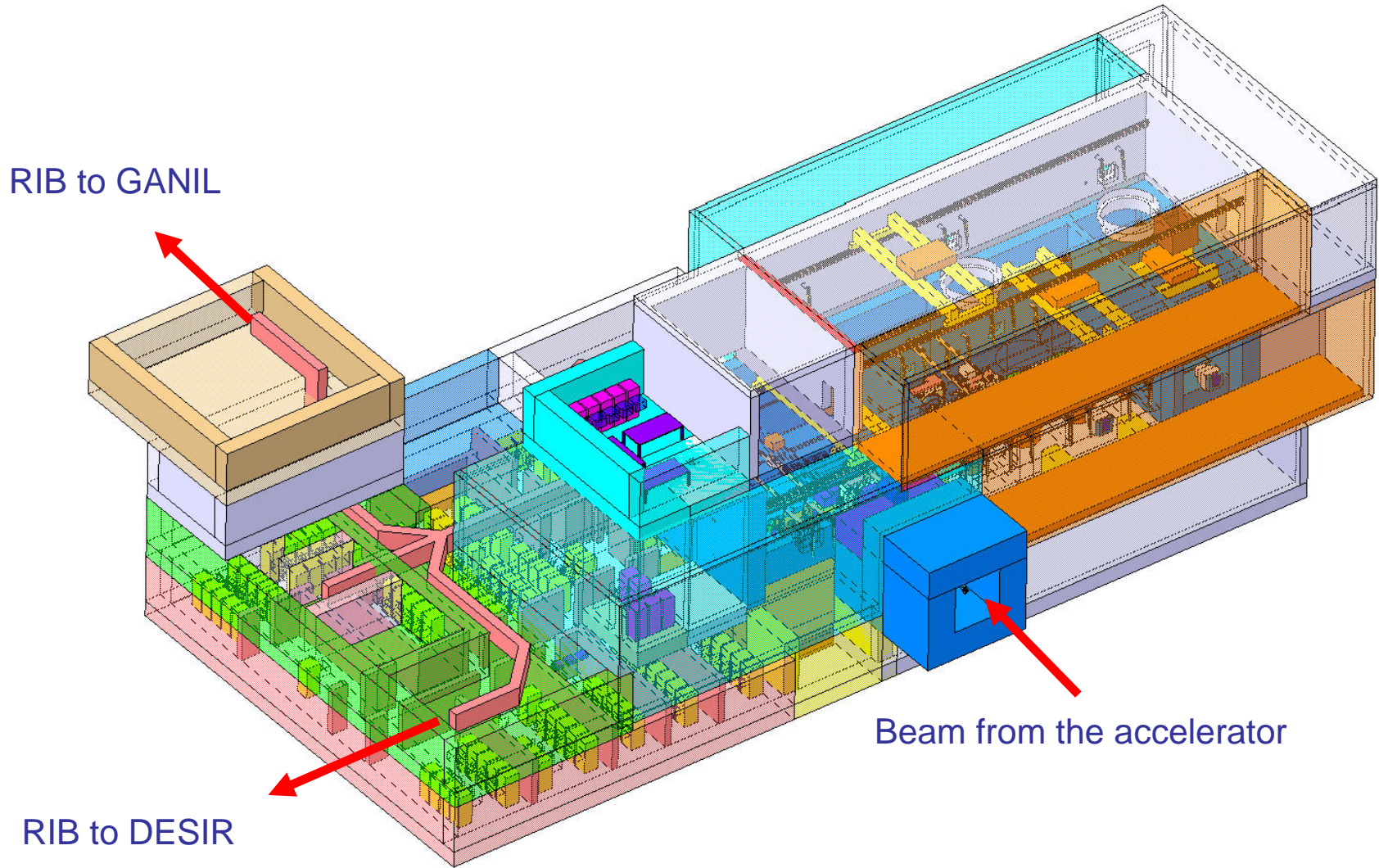
Storage and maintenance hot cell

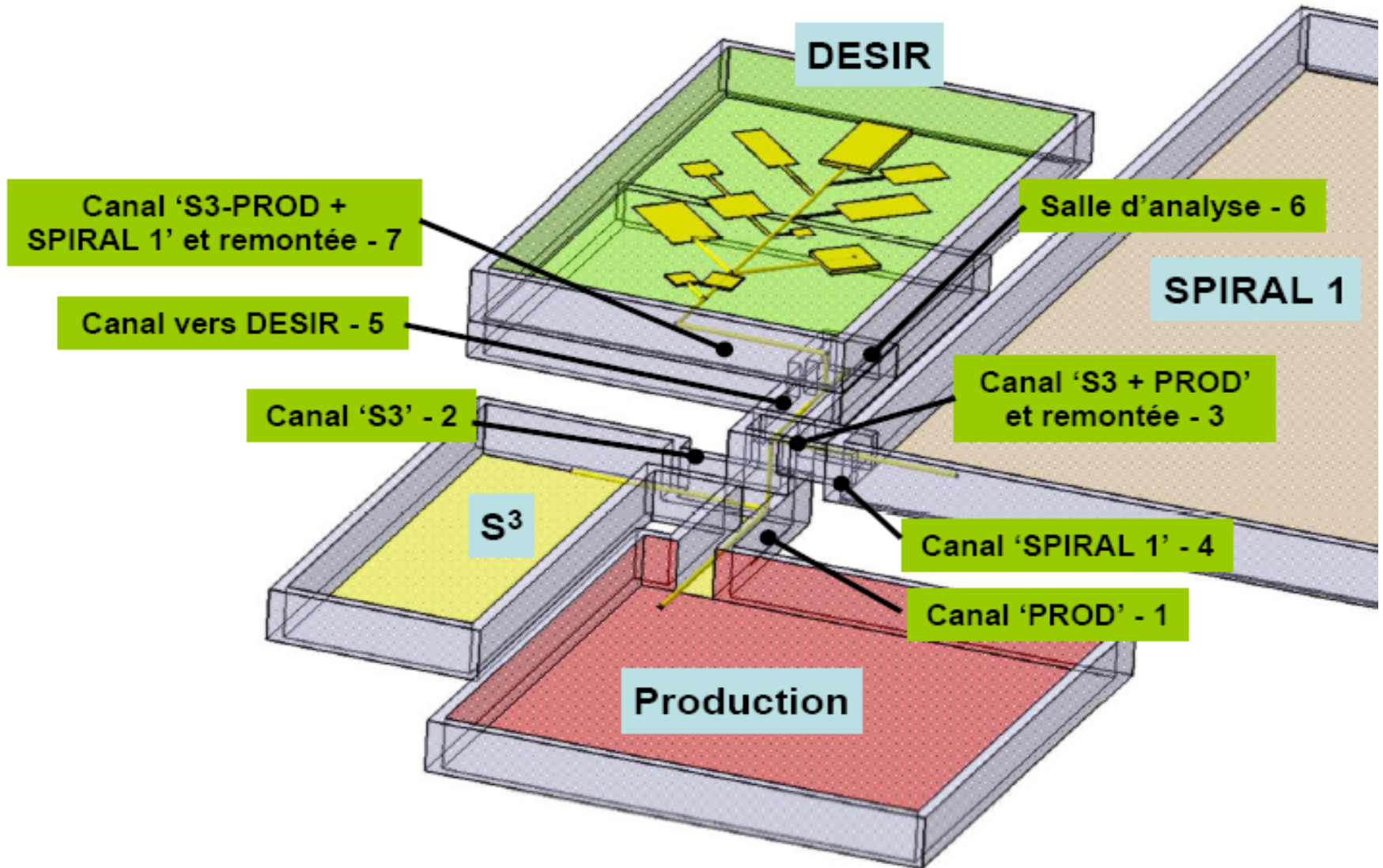
Production cave
Production module

Beam from the accelerator

RIB to DESIR







June 2010 : Building planning permission registration
(Epron City)

~ Feb 2011 : First work for the builder's yard installation
First ground breaking (?)

Mid 2012 : Beginning of the process installation

Summer 2013 : Tests and validations

November, 2013 : First experiment